

County of San Diego Monthly STD Report

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Table 1. STDs reported among San Diego County residents, by month (February 2014) and year-to-date. 2014

	Feb	YTD	Feb	YTD
Chlamydia	1168	2654	1159	2669
Female age 18-25	477	1107	483	1134
Female age ≤17	73	158	40	107
Male rectal chlamydia	35	99	44	98
Gonorrhea	187	446	241	515
Female age 18-25	39	78	43	90
Female age ≤17	3	11	3	12
Male rectal gonorrhea	25	60	36	73
Early Syphilis (adult total)	43	107	20	54
Primary	11	23	3	10
Secondary	20	45	10	24
Early latent	12	39	7	20
Congenital syphilis*	0	0	0	0
HIV Infection**				
HIV (not AIDS)	43	88	46	73
AIDS	29	54	20	41



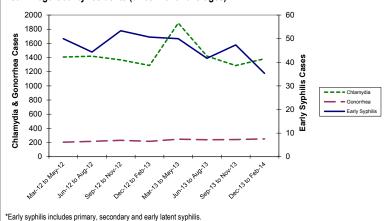
^{*}Includes confirmed and probable cases

Table 2. Selected STD cases and annualized rates per 100,000 population for San Diego County, by age and race/ethnicity, year-to-date, 2014.

	All races*		Asian/PI		Black		Hispanic		White	
	cases	rate	cases	rate	cases	rate	cases	rate	cases	rate
All ages										
Chlamydia	2669	508.4	81	135.2	150	680.5	587	334.2	356	144.0
Gonorrhea	515	98.1	12	20.0	63	285.8	108	61.5	111	44.9
Early syphilis	54	10.3	1	1.7	5	22.7	14	8.0	29	11.7
Under 20 yrs										
Chlamydia	435	308.1	15	104.7	30	507.0	119	186.0	54	112.0
Gonorrhea	62	43.9	1	7.0	17	287.3	12	18.8	8	16.6
Early syphilis	1	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.1

Note: Rates calculated using 2013 SANDAG population estimates.

Figure 1. Chlamydia, gonorrhea and early syphilis* cases reported among San Diego County residents (three-month averages).



Key Points comparing YTD cases reported through February 2013 to February 2014.

- Chlamydia has increased 0.6%.
 - Female (18-25) chlamydia has increased 2.4%.
 - Female (≤17) chlamydia has decreased 32.3%.
- Gonorrhea has increased 15.5%.
 - Female (18-25) gonorrhea has increased 15.4%.
- Early syphilis has decreased 49.5%.

Note: All data are provisional. Case counts are based on the earliest of date of diagnosis, date of specimen collection, and treatment date. Totals for past months might change because of delays in reporting from labs and providers.

Editorial Note: Upcoming STD Update for Clinicians Course



STD Update for Clinicians

Thursday, August 28, 2014 12pm to 5pm

The San Diego Foundation, 2508 Historic Decatur Rd., Ste. 200, San Diego, CA 92128





In conjunction with the California STD/HIV Prevention Training Center (PTC), the County of San Diego is offering a half-day STD Update for Clinicians. During this training, practicing clinicians learn epidemiology, diagnosis, treatment, and management of STDs. This course is presented in an interactive format and incorporates case discussions.

Topics to Be Covered:

- Current STD Epidemiology
- Chlamydia and Gonorrhea
- Viral STDs
- Syphilis
- Vaginitis
- **Local Resources**

Presenters:

- Winston Tilghman, MD (County of San Diego, HHSA)
- Linda Creegan, MS, FNP (San Francisco City Clinic, San Francisco Department of Public Health, CA PTC)
- Ina Park, MD, MS (CDPH STD Control Branch)
- Julia Stoltey, MD, MPH (CDPH STD Control Branch, CA PTC)

Registration is free. CMEs are available. Register at https://stdhivtraining.org/register.html?id=1215.

Simultaneous interpretation provided by the United States-Mexico Border Health Commission, Mexico Section, Baja California Outreach Office.



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^{**}New infections are reported either as HIV or, if an individual was also diagnosed with AIDS within one month, as AIDS.

^{*}Includes cases denoted as "other" or "unknown" and for which no race/ethnicity data are specified.